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## Remarks

Claims 1-29 remain in the application.

The Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment stated that the status of claim 24 should be new rather than original. The claims submitted above contain the corrected status.

The specification to the description and the arguments presented in the response of January 25, 2005 are not repeated but are incorporated herein.

In view of the above amendments and remarks, reconsideration and allowance of all claims are respectfully requested. If the Examiner believes that a telephone interview would be helpful, he is invited to contact the undersigned attorney at the listed telephone number, which is on California time.

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